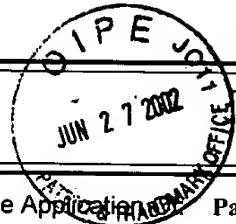


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This paper is being filed in response to the Final Office Action dated April 23, 2002.

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested in view of the Amendments and Remarks below.

AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT

Please amend Claims 1-2, 7-9, 12-15 and 18 of the above-referenced patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (FORTH AMENDED) A photoinduced polymerizable cyanate ester composition for use in reinforcing a bond, comprising:
a cyanate ester substance that includes a cationically polymerizable composition from